

### **INVITATION TO BID**

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received in the Purchasing Office, Room 2-45, 815 Washington Street, Reading, Pennsylvania, until 2:00 P.M., Friday, September 27 2013, for firefighting protective gear. The specification defines the minimum requirements for structural firefighter personal protective equipment (PPE) providing limited protection as defined by NFPA 1971, Standard on Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting, Latest Edition.

Specifications and bid forms, upon which all bids must be submitted, can be obtained in the Purchasing Office, City Hall, Reading, Pennsylvania.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by bid surety in the amount of ten percent (10%) of the proposal. A certified check or bid bond will be accepted.

The City of Reading reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any part of a bid that may not be in the public interest.

TAMMI REINHART  
Purchasing Coordinator

**IF YOU WISH TO RECEIVE A BID PACKET FOR THE ABOVE CONTRACT,  
PLEASE FILL IN THE BELOW INFORMATION AND FAX TO THE CITY OF  
READING AT 610/655-6427 AND WE WILL MAIL THE PACKET TO YOU.**

**COMPANY NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSON REQUESTING:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAILING ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**PHONE & FAX #'S:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-MAIL ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_